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TO : Assistant Director/Scientific Intelligence

DATE: 27 February 1958

FROM : Chief, Nuclear Energy Division/SI

SUBJECT: Request of General Groves

1. The records referred to in Gen. Groves' request were all received on one consolidated memorandum receipt and can be identified. After receipt they were incorporated into various "subject" NED files and eventually were retired to our permanent records center.

2. A check was made with the Agency historian's office and since the reference reports predate the CIA files they have no objection to their being transferred.

3. I recommend as follows:

a. The enclosed letter reply to Gen. Groves be signed and forwarded;

b. [REDACTED] be placed on order for three days TDY to go to the Records Center and withdraw the reference material;

c. That the material be transferred, by proper receipt, to the Military Records Branch of the Federal Records Center.

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Enclosure:
As stated

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Lt. General Leslie R. Groves
c/o Mr. Sherrod East, Chief
Military Records Branch
Federal Records Center
Alexandria, Virginia

Dear General Groves:

Your letter of 12 February 1958 (3MC) to Mr. Dulles has been passed to this office for direct reply since the records requested are presently in our custody.

Most of the records transferred from the Manhattan Engineer District to this Agency have been retired to our permanent record center located outside the Washington area. However, action has been commenced to recover these records and they will be transferred to the Military Records Branch of the Federal Records Center as you requested.

I anticipate that identification, recovery, preparing receipts and the actual transfer will require about three weeks to accomplish.

If we can be of further assistance, please feel free to call upon us at any time.

Very truly yours,

[Redacted Signature]

Herbert Scoville, Jr.
Assistant Director

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COMMENT		FILE		RETURN	
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Remarks: 1-3. Attached is a suggested reply to General Grove's letter. Please release if you approve.					
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FROM: NAME, ADDRESS AND PHONE NO.				DATE	
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